

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Amar G. Bose                          Art Unit : Unknown  
Serial No. : Unknown                              Examiner : Unknown  
Filed :  
Title : SHEET MATERIAL PAD

DECLARATION BY THE INVENTORS

As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled SHEET MATERIAL PAD, the specification of which was filed herewith.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance 37 CFR §1.56(a).

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e)(1) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

<u><input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Status</u>
10/353,531	January 29, 2003	Pending

I hereby declare that all statement made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States

Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Full name of inventor: AMAR G. BOSE

Inventor's signature: 

Date: 11/1/03

Residence: Wayland, MA

Citizen of: United States

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Framingham, MA 01701-9168

ASSIGNMENT

For valuable consideration, I, AMAR G. BOSE of Wayland , MA hereby assign to Bose Corporation, a corporation of Delaware having a place of business at:

The Mountain  
Framingham, Massachusetts 01701-9168  
United States of America; and

its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are subject of an application for United States Patent signed by us, entitled SHEET MATERIAL PAD, filed herewith, this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and I authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in my name or in its own name for patents, utility models, design registrations and like rights of exclusion, and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and I agree for me and my respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation, to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Framingham, MA,  
this 11/4/03 day of November, 2003.

Amar G. Bose  
AMAR G. BOSE

L.S.

State of Massachusetts :

: ss.

County of Middlesex :

Before me this 4TH day of November, 2003, personally appeared AMAR G. BOSE known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

Carol S. Fritz  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: June 4, 2010

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